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This Week

by Arthur Brisbane
France Gets the Gold
We're All Richer

New Theory of the Universe
The Straws of Wall Street

Some worry because gold is going abroad. \$7,350,000 was shipped to France on the Berengaria, making a total shipment of \$105,000,000 gold for the month.

You admire French financiers when you hear that they got \$20,000,000 of that gold.

How do the French do it? They work and they save.

As your debts diminish you automatically become richer. The people of the United States became richer by about a thousand million dollars during 1929.

Mr. Mellon's statement shows that in twelve months the national debt has been reduced by one billion and nine million dollars.

If Uncle Sam collected his foreign debts as efficiently as he collects from taxpayers at home we'd be clear of debt soon.

In Germany Meinhart refugees from Russia, encamped with their children, are stricken with a strange disease. Forty children died in a few hours. Many were sacrificed because their mothers hid them from doctors.

Following a Meinhart custom of substituting prayer for medical attention. That method no longer works.

"Know the truth, and the truth shall make you free," includes scientific medical truth.

The son of Italy's king will soon be married and 6,000 will be freed from prison, by way of celebration.

What seems strange in America is a custom old in Europe.

After Admiral Nelson brought his ship into the Bay of Naples, promising to protect the king and queen and their court against the power of the French revolution, many convicts were set free to celebrate.

And kings, on mounting the throne, have often emptied prisons as a sign of joy.

The National Fire company has issued a policy of \$50,000, guaranteeing against the outside of a man's house.

That's new in insurance.

The learned Prof. James Mackaye of Dartmouth brings forth a new theory of the universe, pushing Einstein and relativity into the background.

The universe possesses a radiation of super-frequency and super-penetration, pervading all space.

The ether, which Einstein eliminated, returns, but it is a dynamic, not a static, ether.

That deep news interests a few. Secretary Mellon says 1930 will be a super-year, money abundant, interest rates low, business good.

That interests everybody, violently. Infinite time, space and ether will take care of themselves; 1930 and business must be attended to at once.

Now that the "big wind" that swept through Wall Street, blowing away paper profits, has died down, there are sad hearts, but no real losses.

Apparent values, born of imagination and outrageous news of watered stock, have shrunk by more than twenty-three billions of dollars in three months.

But our national property is all here, including the nicely printed watered stock.

When one concern assembles a few "public utility concerns" and prints 60,000,000 shares of wind and water, with 2,000,000 shares of preferred and heaven knows how many obligations of the assembled companies ahead of the 60,000,000 shares, something must happen. It did happen.

Among all the sorrows of Wall Street, however, bright spots stand out. Actual dividends declared in 1929 up to December 28 totaled more than \$4,402,000,000, an increase of more than a thousand million dollars over 1928.

We are really not poor, only a little discouraged, some of us, at the idea of beginning over again.

How the years drag for the young! How they fly for the old!

MANY ARRESTS DURING SEASON

A report sent out by the State Department of Conservation shows that during the month of November there were 691 convictions for violation of game laws.

Most of these violations occurred during the deer-hunting season, November 15 to 30th. \$19,109.45 was collected in fines and costs and a total of 1,120 days were spent in jail by some of the offenders.

Crawford county contributed 16 offenders to the list, as follows:

Sam Doner, loaded gun in automobile, \$53.50, 1 gun.

Wm. McNally, loaded gun in automobile, \$34.50, 1 gun.

Henry Bessie, carrying rifle in deer area, \$37.55, 1 rifle.

Earl Thompson, having part of doe in possession, \$58.90.

Robert Deshone, having doe in possession, \$58.90.

Hubert Catterfield, having doe in possession, \$58.90.

Stan Foster, having doe in possession, \$58.90.

Joe Deahone, having doe in possession, \$58.90.

Lewis Koepke, having doe in possession, \$58.90.

Chas. Koepke, having doe in possession, \$58.90.

Claude Johnson, loaded gun in automobile, \$12.20.

Valentine Johnson, loaded gun in automobile, \$12.20.

Fred Squire, killing a doe, \$61.20.

Elford Scheerer, killing a doe, \$61.20.

John Oklef, possession of illegal venison, \$60.30.

Martin Will, possession of illegal venison, \$60.30.

Osage county was very meek and dutiful and only registered one conviction. Roscommon county had ten convictions. Marquette county won the banner with 29 convictions.

Oakland county, the home of Oakland 8s and Postie 6s was a close second with 28. But it remained for Osage county to win the grand championship with 38 convictions.

The offenses consisted of almost every imaginable violation from having firms in possession, hunting squirrels, etc. to killing doe deer.

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Advertisement.



1—Nephrus's surveyors announce the coming of 1930 on the sands of Santa Monica, Calif. 2—Senator Frederick M. Sackett of Kentucky who was selected as American ambassador to Germany. 3—Office in the State, War and Navy building, formerly occupied by General Pershing, now used by President Hoover while the executive office building is being repaired after the fire.

TRUCK FINDS HAVEN OF REST AT BURKE'S GARAGE

Friday evening, the shades of night had fallen, when a driver employed by the Dixie Oil Company steered his monstrous truck up one of the thoroughfares of our thriving metropolis. The monster's flaming exhausts stabbed through the hazy darkness of the night and the staccato reports of its wide open cutout roared through the silence even as the roar of machine-gun fire in the wastes of no man's land. To the truck its destination was a purely accidental by-product of the ultimate ending of the journey.

To cut a long story short would be to say that the truck was with out a home and had been in quest of such a place during the entire afternoon and evening. Indeed that very afternoon it had snorted its way to the front door of Mr. Burke's home for homeless cars and trucks and requested immediate admission, complaining of broken arches due to the fact that no self respecting three-wheeler could possibly carry a load of a ton and a half of clay. Admission to the home was refused by Mr. Burke on the grounds that he had no desire to have the truck further injure itself, perhaps seriously, by falling through the floor and landing by chance "by chance we say" in the basement.

The poor truck's pleas availed it not and it sadly made its way down town continuing its search for a home. After aimlessly roaming around the entire evening and not having found a place to rest its weary wheels, our hero decided to make one more attempt to get into Mr. Burke's garage.

No sooner thought than done. It therefore dimmed its flaming eyes and closing its exhaust and cutout, it sneaked up the alleyway and came to rest in front of the garage.

The door being opened, our truck went in and what was the end? A gaping hole in the floor of the garage, and at last our weary friend came to rest in the basement.

Mr. Burke's garage??? And now the odor of fresh clay mingles sweetly with the aroma of escaping steam, gasoline, etc.

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NEWS & COMMENTS FROM WASHINGTON

(By Congressman Roy O. Woodruff, Tenth Michigan District.)

The close of the year 1929 saw also the close of the first nine months of President Hoover's administration, and began look back upon a program of accomplishment almost unparalleled in the annals of the country. This program incorporated important problems and innovations of international relation as well as those of domestic economy, and stamp him as one of the outstanding leaders of his generation.

His meeting with Premier Ramsay MacDonald of Great Britain and their negotiations leading up to and arranging for the conference for the limitations of naval armaments, has gone a long way toward bringing about a better understanding between the two nations.

Another of the outstanding accomplishments of the President has been the improvement in our relations and friendships with the Latin American countries of South and Central America, brought about through his intimate personal understanding of the temperamental of these people and their industrial and commercial life, together with their confidence in him.

For the first time in many years there seems to have been a total disappearance of the so-called anti-American spirit in these countries. And every student of the situation knows that this came about first through Mr. Hoover's trip to those countries immediately following his election, and to his adroit handling of conditions since his induction into office. This achievement means as much, perhaps, to American business as any one thing which has been accomplished.

His program of farm relief was composed of two separate and distinct parts, first the farm relief bill, and second the revision of the tariff in the interest of agriculture. The first is through the law. The farm board has been appointed; it has been supplied with the necessary funds and is now functioning. It is believed that this board will eventually bring about a situation where the American farmer will receive for his products a much larger share of every dollar paid for these products by the American consumer than he now receives.

The tariff bill has passed the House of Representatives carrying big increases in rates on farm products, but is still under consideration in the other branch of Congress. The House rates have in a number of instances been increased by the Senate and I believe the House will concur in these amendments when the two bodies go to conference. The increase will undoubtedly be reflected in the price the farmer receives, and this together with operations of the farm board should put agriculture upon an economic basis which will compare favorably with that of industry.

The tariff bill will become the law before the coming season's farm crops are sent to market, and its beneficial effects will be felt in the coming harvest all down the line. As the benefits accrue, it is well to remember that while the tariff program has been before Congress every session since 1920, it has remained for the leadership of President Hoover to make its culmination an accomplished fact.

By calling together in conference the business heads of the nation following the Wall Street crash, he did the one thing which could avert an industrial and financial panic. This is the first time such a thing has been done by an American President and it points the way for all succeeding Presidents to follow in the years to come.

His proposal for the reduction of income and corporation taxes was submitted at a particularly opportune

time and its prompt approval by Congress was especially helpful in maintaining normal business conditions.

The apparently growing disregard for law and order is a matter of grave concern to every good citizen, and particularly so to the Chief Executive whose duty it is to see that all laws are enforced. Mr. Hoover's appointment of a commission to make a study of law enforcement and observance, and to render a report thereon with its recommendations should enable Congress and the President to take such steps as are necessary to bring about an improvement in the present most unsatisfactory conditions.

I have mentioned only a few of the more important accomplishments of the Hoover administration during the short time it has been in existence. There have been many others, each and every one of which contributed either to the economic welfare and happiness of the people or to an improvement in governmental activities.

FIRE DESTROYS A. M. LEWIS DRUG STORE IN FLINT

The drug store of A. M. Lewis in Flint was destroyed by a fire early Friday morning. The Flint Daily Journal described the fire in part as follows: "Thirteen persons, six of them women, were driven from their apartments, when fire of undetermined origin destroyed the A. M. Lewis drug store at 1214 N. Saginaw St. For a time the entire Howard building in which the drug store is located, was threatened. Seven apartments, in which men and women were sleeping, and stock of three other stores housed in the building were damaged, with a total loss estimated at more than \$40,000.

Fire Chief Edward H. Price was at a loss to explain the origin of the fire. He said the basement of the Lewis store had been one of the cleanest in Flint. He said it was possible a boy may have become short circuited in one of the sets of electrical equipment stored there.

The floor and a partition wall fell in. The entire drug store stock was ruined. Mr. Lewis said his stock and furnishings were insured for \$11,000 but that his loss would amount to at least \$18,000.

Mr. Lewis was a former druggist in Grayling, and we are sorry to hear of his misfortune.

LICENSE PLATES MOVING SLOWLY

There are still a number of automobiles in Crawford county which are not equipped with license plates. County Treasurer Ferguson reports the sale at present of approximately 150 which is only one-third of the number he will sell.

On December 31st, licenses amounting to \$1500.00 were sold but since that time there has been no particular rush. No figures were available at this time however as to the amount the County Treasurer has on hand at present.

Sheriff Bobenmoyer reports very few violators this year. Using a plate for any other year than the year for which issued makes the user liable to a fine of \$500.00 or imprisonment in the state prison for not more than one year or both such fine and imprisonment.

Joseph Cassidy purchased the first license plate in Crawford county for 1930.

INSTALLATION OF I.O.O.F. OFFICERS

The following officers were installed Tuesday evening:

Noble Grand—Chris Johnson. Recording Sec'y—Axel M. Peter. Financial Sec'y—Paul Ziebell. Treasurer—Hans Petersen.

Following installation, lunch was served. There was a good attendance.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the friends who so kindly sent expressions of sympathy during our recent sorrow, also Rev. Greenwood, Mrs. Clippert and Mr. Webb for their services.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Chalker and family, William J. Chalker and daughter.

CIRCUIT COURT NEXT WEEK

Circuit Court for Crawford county will convene next week and according to the statutory time will be held on Tuesday afternoon. The following cases are upon the docket:

Criminal Cases

The criminal docket contains two cases: Mary Blichak, violation of the prohibition law, and Claude A. LaRocque, violation of the motor vehicle law. The latter case involves the killing of Lawrence H. Bell on the night of Nov. 17 while a pedestrian on U. S. 27 near the Roscommon county line.

Civil Cases

Easton-Clark Co., vs. Grayling Laundry Co., trespass on the case. William Long & Fidelity Corporation of Michigan vs. Henry Pennell, replevin.

Chancery Cases

Lena M. Clothier vs. Ernest E. Clothier, divorce. Hazel Vallad vs. Albert J. Vallad, divorce.

Ackna L. Bissanette vs. George Bissanette, divorce.

Petition for naturalization of Joseph Mallinger will come up for hearing.

No jury has been drawn for the term. It is understood that the case of LaRocque will be continued to the next term.

CELEBRATES 83RD BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Peter Schmidt was 83 years old Tuesday and several ladies, namely, Mrs. T. Boeson, Mrs. James Sorenson, Mrs. Peter Peterson, Mrs. Peter Kijohede, Mrs. Peter Brown and her neighbors, Mrs. E. G. Clark and Helen Tait, came to her home to spend the afternoon in honor of her anniversary.

Mrs. Schmidt had previously arranged with our local baker for a birthday cake. She told Mr. Craig that she wanted 83 candles put on the cake to get an idea what 83 years old looked like. Eighty three years is indeed a good many years to live and we do not wonder Mrs. Schmidt wanted to get a picture of the number of years in her mind. She is in perfect health at the present time and we hope she will enjoy many more years of health and happiness.

The ladies enjoyed visiting with Mrs. Schmidt and besides enjoying their share of the lovely birthday cake, indulged in the goodies which brought for the occasion. The ladies spent a very pleasant afternoon and wished Mrs. Schmidt many more happy returns of the day.

GOODFELLOWSHIP CLUB NOTES

After the holiday recess the Goodfellowship Club resumed work Monday evening. Mrs. H. A. Burton was hostess and after the business session with Mrs. E. G. Clippert in the chair the club listened to an intensely interesting article on "Our Failure in the Philippines" by Henry Cabot Lodge and read by Mrs. Geo. Alexander. A discussion followed. Mrs. Clippert then favored the club with a beautifully rendered solo. Meeting adjourned.

WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

"Winter Sports" was the topic around which the Woman's Club program centered at the meeting held Monday evening at the home of Miss Les Granger.

A paper on "Winter Sports in Switzerland" was read by Miss Rosalind Lewis. A general discussion of the theme of the program.

"Winter Recreations" was given by Mrs. Joseph and Mrs. Frank Tetu, who were entertained with two vocal selections which carried out closely the general theme of the program.

GRAYLING DEBATORS GO TO WEST BRANCH FRIDAY

The affirmative debate squad of the Grayling High school will meet the negative debate team at West Branch Friday evening. The following compose the affirmative team: Elizabeth Matson—First speaker. Jessie Lytle—Second speaker. Jerome Kesseler—Third speaker.

The negative team of G.H.S., who have been so successful this year in winning points will not participate in this debate.

MRS. WM. S. CHALKER PASSES AWAY

The beginning of the New Year 1930 brought deep sorrow to the families and friends of Mrs. Margaret Jane Chalker who passed away at Mercy Hospital Thursday evening, January 2nd. Mrs. Chalker suffered a stroke of paralysis on New Year's eve and was immediately rushed to Mercy Hospital.

Margaret Jane Chalker was born in Quebec, Province of Quebec, Canada, June 6, 1860.

At the age of seven years, with her parents, Isaiah and Sarah Murphy, she moved to Alpena, Michigan. Later the family moved to Fife Lake, where she resided until the winter of 1880-1881 when she moved to Grayling, Michigan on October 8, 1876. To this union were born three children: Elias, who died at the age of 14 in Grayling, William J. of Detroit, and Edwin S. of Grayling. After thirteen years of residence in Grayling, they moved to their farm in Maple Forest where they lived for nineteen years. The family then returned to Grayling.

Mrs. Chalker passed away ten years ago and since her husband's death, Mrs. Chalker has made her home with her son Edwin S. Chalker and family.

She was an active member of the Methodist Episcopal church during her entire life. She was also a member of the Ladies Aid, Woman's Relief Corps and the O.E.S.

She leaves to mourn her loss two sons, William J. of Detroit and Edwin S. of Grayling, her two daughters-in-law: three grandchildren, Beth of Detroit and Edwin and Fern of Grayling; one sister, Mrs. Martha Woodard of Fife Lake; two brothers, Dan, and Charles Murphy of Fife Lake, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jennie Murphy of Grayling.

Mrs. Chalker was always ready to give unselfish service in times of trouble and will be long-esteemed in the memory of her many friends and acquaintances. She was always cheerful and contented with a kindly word and genial smile for all. In return God granted her wish of a peaceful death, and her desire to be buried in the cemetery at Grayling, the town she had always regarded as home.

The funeral was largely attended, and held from the Michigan Memorial church, her pastor, the Rev. J. W. Greenwood, conducting the services at the church and grave. Appropriate music for the occasion was contributed by Mrs. Clippert and Mr. Webb. Many were the floral pieces sently testifying to the warm place that this estimable lady held in the hearts of her friends and loved ones.

Those from out of the city who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chalker and daughter Beth of Detroit; Dan Murphy, Fife Lake; Mrs. H. A. Burton, Fife Lake; George Gough, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Louch, Cadillac; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vallad, Standish; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lalone, Fife Lake; Mrs. Jessie Smith, Detroit. Several Maple Forest people were also in attendance.

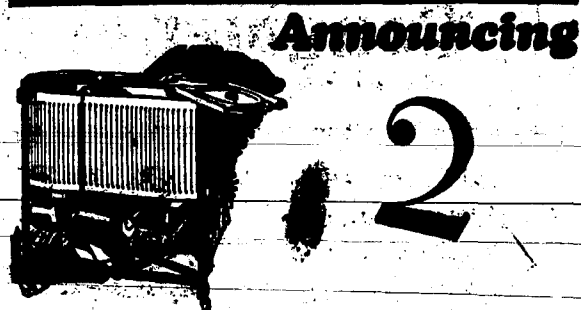
MAC & GIDLEY ASSISTED SANTA CLAUS

The richest flavor of Christmas giving was enjoyed to fullness by Mr. McNamara of the Mac & Gidley Drug Store when he presented the following little girls of Grayling with dolls Christmas morning. The dolls had been in the window of the store for weeks and were adored by young and old. They surely were alluring enough to be welcomed by the youngsters who received the most votes during the contest, which started on November 12th and ended Christmas morning.

We are listing below the names in order of votes received:

Gwenivere Trudo. Beulah Holmberg. Betty Sparkes. Pauline Entsminger. Nel-Carry Welsh. Eva Swanson. June Doroh. Francis Ann Tetu. Pay Elaine Christenson. Belle Markby. Katy Paterson. Mary-Jane Joseph. Jane Milnes. Virginia Kraus. Elma Mae Jensen.

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MORE INVASION OF PRIVATE RIGHTS

The interference of government with private rights and the control of their own lives and affairs by private citizens is growing constantly. This is true of both nation and state.

Meddling government officials and inspectors are interfering with business and personal privileges to an extent that is becoming oppressive. There is a constant demand and pressure on congress and legislatures for more and more power backed by oppressive legislation.

The latest move in this direction is the bill introduced by Senator Smoot in congress. This bill would give the food and drug department arbitrary control of the advertising of food and drug products, a power no governmental bureau should be given.

There is already on the statute books laws against false advertising that, if enforced, will fully protect the citizens.

There are also ample laws against impure and adulterated food and drug products.

To give a bureau censorship and control of advertising of food and drug products is carrying bureaucracy to a degree dangerous to private rights and wholly unequalled for by existing conditions.

A decided halt should be called to this invasion of the private affairs of citizens of the government. A nation wide protest has gone up against the Smoot bill that congress should heed.

A minister said recently that one cannot throw a stone out of the window without hitting someone with an inferiority complex. Well, aren't they the safest kind of people to hit?

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News Briefs

THURSDAY, JANUARY 2, 1930

WORK AND HAPPINESS

"When we look into the long avenue of the future and see the good there is for each of us to do, we realize after all what a beautiful thing it is to work, and to live, and to be happy."

All childrens hosiery at 20% off at Olson's.

Mrs. Blanche Hull and son Jack visited in Toledo for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Olson were in Detroit on business the last of the week.

Dance at the Temple theatre Saturday night, Jan. 11th. Everybody invited. Music by Al's Syncopters. For 2 days only, Friday and Saturday, men's wool socks at 20% off at Olson's.

Esbern Hanson Jr., has returned to St. John's Military academy after spending the holidays with his parents.

Grayling Mercantile January sale is now on. This is a good time to stock up on real quality merchandise and at greatly reduced prices.

See the 4 to 7 dollar slippers for \$2.95. New ones added each week at Olson's.

Edward Barnes and David Cribbens of Auburn are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin LaChapell for a few days.

Laudy Harrison and Floyd Lovely returned to Detroit Saturday night after spending a few days here visiting relatives and friends.

St. Mary's Altar society will meet with Mrs. Carl Nielson Thursday, January 16. Mrs. Nielson will be assisted by Mrs. Frank Tetu.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perkins returned Saturday after spending the holidays visiting Mr. Perkins' sister, Mrs. John Redmon of Bay City.

See our advertisement in this issue. Hundreds of bargains of real value during this sale. Grayling Mercantile Co.

The people in Grayling are the only ones that will ever take enough interest in it to make it really beautiful. Citizens who don't care how their own premises look don't care how the town looks.

Miss Mildred Corwin returned to Lansing Saturday after spending Christmas with her parents. She was accompanied by Mr. Frank Bromley, also of Lansing, who was her guest during the holidays.

Mrs. John Love of Beaver Creek left Saturday for St. Clair Shores, Mich., to spend several months with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Belmore. During her absence her son Will and wife will run the farm.

Emerson Brown returned to U. of M. in Ann Arbor Sunday to resume his studies after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Brown for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Andrew Brown has returned from Kenosha, Wisconsin, where she has been taking care of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Brown, who has been seriously ill. Mrs. Brown left her much improved.

Those who were at the toboggan slide Sunday afternoon and evening report a good time. The lunch room was open to accommodate the crowd and a cup of good hot coffee tasted mighty good after being out in the cold.

Thomas Preston, a former woodsman, 79 years of age, died January 2 at the home of his cousin, Mr. Charles Pees, with whom he made his home. Funeral services were held from the M. E. church Tuesday afternoon and interment followed in Elmwood cemetery.

"Our Gang" met last Thursday at the home of Agnes Dutton with thirteen members present. The "penny prize" was won by Lizzie Servan. The committee served a very delicious lunch. The next meeting of Our Gang will be held Jan. 16th at the home of Pearl Mathews.

Sam Cooley reports that he shipped ten Chinchilla rabbits to St. Louis, Mo., Monday. Sam makes a shipment of rabbits four times a year and was especially proud of this shipment which he states is the finest lot of rabbits he has shipped. The ten rabbits will net him practically \$35.00.

Mrs. Hana Nelson and daughter Grace left Wednesday night for Cleveland, Ohio, and Milwaukee, Wis., to spend the winter with relatives. In honor of Miss Nelson, Mrs. Edward Glicks entertained ten young ladies at cards Saturday evening. Miss Clarisse Welch and Mrs. Earl Nelson captured prizes. A very nice lunch was served which added much to the enjoyment of the party.

Iron clad and Phoenix hosiery at 20% off at Olson's.

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All men's dress and work socks at 20% off at Olson's.

Don Cox is expected from Flint Saturday to visit Miss Kathryn Brown for a few days.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson returned Monday from Detroit where she had been on business for several days.

Special Friday and Saturday, all Phoenix and Iron clad hosiery, also men's heavy wool socks at 20% off at Olson's.

January sale now on. Must reduce stock before inventory. Grayling Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEvers and son, Ted Roy, motored to Bay City on business Friday afternoon, returning Sunday.

Don't forget the dance at Temple theatre Saturday night. Good music and good time. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Ollie McLeod of Lansing visited her mother, Mrs. A. Hermann over the week end.

Come early and see the new slippers on our bargain rack; none over \$2.95, at Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. Scott, son Wesley and Miss Mary Ausum of South Branch spent Thursday at the LeRoy Scott home.

Miss Grace Edwards returned Saturday from a few days visit in Bay City with Mr. and Mrs. P. Mahoney and family.

Mrs. Esbern Olson had the misfortune to catch her hand in her electric washing machine Monday and injure it quite badly.

A marriage license was issued last week to Jack W. Donner, age 26, of Battle Creek and Esther M. Barber, age 22, of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. David White returned Wednesday from a pleasant visit with relatives in Saginaw where they had been for several weeks.

John Westerholm of Erie, Pennsylvania, spent Christmas and New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson.

Mr. Charles Montrose, who is a patient at Mercy Hospital, expects to leave tonight for Detroit on business and says he will return Sunday.

Francis Brady returned to Detroit Sunday night to continue his studies at the U. of D., after spending a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady.

Misses Ella and Margrethe Hanson, who enjoyed a pleasant Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson, returned Saturday to U. of M. to resume their studies.

Miss Annabel McLeod has resigned her position as clerk in the Nick Schlotz grocery and is at present visiting relatives in Detroit. Her place is being filled by Miss Lillian Swanson.

Sum of \$104,700 appropriated by State Highway Department for beautification of upper peninsula trunk line highways in 1930, according to Grover C. Dillman, State Highway Commissioner.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Chamberlin of Oxford announce the birth of a daughter, Eleanor Sus, January 3. The mother will be remembered as Nina Peterson.

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Mrs. Alfred Hermann and daughter Barbara Elizabeth, who have been visiting Mrs. Hermann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates, returned to Lansing Sunday. Her husband, who came from Lansing for the week end, accompanied her home.

Grayling experienced a real January thaw the first of the week. It lasted a couple of days; we lost a lot of snow and the walks and streets were solid ice. Wednesday brought a change when the weather turned colder and we had light snow. Today (Thursday) it has snowed all day and no doubt we are about to get seasonable winter weather from now on.

There will be a basketball game Friday evening, January 10th at the school gymnasium between Mancelona High School versus Grayling High School. This promises to be a real battle as Mancelona has very strong teams, so come out and help root for our Grayling basketball team. There will also be a preliminary game. Time: 7:30 p. m. Admission 15c and 35c.

Mrs. Charles Harvey entertained her club at her home Friday afternoon. After the business meeting the ladies surprised Mrs. Harvey by showering her with lovely gifts. Games and visiting were enjoyed. Prizes were won by Mrs. Carl Larson, Mrs. Otto Cox and Mrs. Roy Scott. At five o'clock Mrs. Harvey, assisted by the committee, served a chop suey supper. The club will meet with Mrs. George Barber at her home next Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Miller, who has been under the strict care of physicians from Ann Arbor since her accident last summer, returned home Tuesday, accompanied by her son George Jr. and her daughter, Mrs. Edward King with whom she has been making her home for several months. Mrs. Miller consulted physicians in Flint who advised her how serious her condition really was. X-ray pictures revealed she had a curvature of the spine and fractured vertebra. She has made two trips to Ann Arbor for hospital care and reports the fine care she received there. It has been necessary for Mrs. Miller to lay for three months in an iron frame made of gas pipe. Her condition improved considerably. The doctors then advised her to wear a Bradford frame, which she now wears only when walking around. She walks only with the assistance of someone but she is certainly improving a little every day and getting much stronger. The doctors have advised Mrs. Miller not to do any hard work under any circumstances and also advised her to report at Ann Arbor for examination in March.

Some reformers will not be satisfied until the convicts run the prisons and have authority to lock up the wardens and guards at night and to make them do all the work in the daytime.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS IN NEW CHEV.

The Chevrolet Motor Company announced on January 4th a new car for 1930 known as "The Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet History."

Announcement of the new car comes right at the close of Chevrolet's greatest year; for the sensational success of the six-cylinder Chevrolet, introduced just a year ago, resulted in an output of 1,850,000 cars this year, breaking by a wide margin all former Chevrolet annual production records.

In making public Chevrolet's plans for 1930, W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager, declared that with the improvements incorporated in the new car, Chevrolet was anticipating a volume of business that will equal, if not surpass, the phenomenal record of 1929. And, in order to accommodate an early demand, production is being speeded with all the haste consistent with the precision methods for which Chevrolet manufacturing operations are famous.

New car shipments have been going out to dealers for the past ten days, with deliveries to owners scheduled to start January 4th. The cars went on display that morning in thousands of Chevrolet showrooms from coast to coast, while at the same time the announcement of the new car was being broadcast through the advertising columns of more than 6,500 newspapers.

Scores of distinct improvements have been made in the 1930 Chevrolet line, the factory announces. Greater beauty, added safety factors, improved riding comfort and better all-round performance with added power, and faster acceleration are announced as features of the new line.

Larger tires, small wheels, Delco-Lovejoy hydraulic shock absorbers at all four wheels, Fisher slanting non-glare VV windshield and vastly improved four wheel braking system are some of the highlights.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

In other days one was cautioned to save for a rainy day. Modern youth saves for a wet night.—Atlanta Constitution.

The best accessory for a hunter these days is an army tank.—Dallas News.

They are still experimenting, but have still to find an automobile that can wreck a train and push it off the track.—Dayton (Ohio) Journal.

It is now asserted that man is 1,000,000 years old. And there are mornings when he feels like it.—Des Moines Register.

The wife who wonders why hubby isn't exactly like *she* before they were married probably has a husband who wonders why *two* don't live as cheap as one.

It's all right, but it does look funny to see a farmer in overalls shoot out his arm to look at his wrist watch.—Great Bend Tribune.

A San Francisco woman bought a \$240.00 ring as a Christmas present for her husband. It would be interesting to know how she persuaded hubby to let loose of that much money for his Christmas present.

The poverty of the girl's father has caused many a man to remain in the bachelor class.—Chicago News.

The only racket it pays to have anything to do with is the tennis racket.

What has become of the fellow who told us that our climate had changed and that we never have cold weather any more until after the first of the year?

According to cable dispatches they are having Indian summer over in Sweden just now. This is the first time we ever heard that there were any Indians in Sweden.

France is demanding that in the naval conference the size of ships be figured in global tonnage. Don't know what a globe ton is, but it may mean that the French want their ships measured in round tons instead of long ones.

If you are worrying about the December bills, cheer up. It won't be long until the maple syrup season will be with us again.

A proposal has been made to raise the salary of Mayor Walker of New York from \$25,000 to \$40,000 a year. Well, it does cost a lot to travel these days.

Want Ads

FURNITURE REPAIRING, UP-
holstering and general repairing in
all lines of wood or metal, and chair
caning.—J. G. Laverton, DuClos
house, Norway St.

WANTED—Maid for general house
work. Two in family. Mrs. W. H.
Ketabek.

HOUSE TO RENT—Inquire of Tony
Nelson. Phone 75-F-11.

LOST—Little rat terrier, male dog,
bob tail, white body, brown head
with white streak. Answer to the
name of Bobby. Finder return to
W. Buck and receive reward. St.

WANTED—A place as housekeeper.
Mrs. L. E. Ashman, Frederic, Mich.

FOR SALE—Ballard Estate home.
Bargain for cash or on any terms.
Inquire of O. P. Schumann, at
Avalanche Office, phone 111. 6c.

ENTERTAIN WITH BRIDGE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mues were hosts to a very enjoyable bridge party Wednesday evening. Five tables were filled for the game the prizes falling to Mrs. Emil Giegling and A. J. Joseph. Guests included Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Lorane Sparkes, Mr. and Mrs. Rob't Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph, Mrs. R. B. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Holger Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giegling, Fred Alexander, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Keyport, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarmila.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

We really regret to say so, but we fear that it will take more than "Public opinion" to keep the nations straight.

If the supply of speedsters continues to accelerate the demand for pedestrians will make them extremely scarce.

Peace is not a matter of standing idle. It is an ideal to be fought for with all the wisdom and all the experience of the past centuries.

When in the course of human events you hear that your bank balance is overdrawn, be nonchalant, but don't write any more checks.

Our extra slice of pie for this week is set aside for the reader of this paper who decided (and does) send us a check for a new subscription.

In the course of human events the nations of the world may make a treaty covering warships only to find that the albatross is the thing which to fight wars.

RICHARD THE LION HEARTED, SUBJECT OF NEXT HEROES OF THE WORLD PROGRAM

King Richard the Lion Hearted, leading a band of fifty brave knights, boldly attacks a garrison of 8,000 Saracens who have captured the seaport of Joppa, turning defeat into brilliant victory at one of the darkest moments during the Crusade—this is dramatically brought to the radio audience in the Heroes of the World program, sponsored by Durant Motors, and presented by the National Broadcasting Company over WEAF and a network of 37 affiliated stations.

(This refers to program broadcast at 8:00 p. m. Central Standard time, Sunday evening over WEAF and a network of 36 stations of the National Broadcasting Company, and CKGW, at Toronto).

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR WIFE'S DEBTS

January 7, 1930
My wife, Violet Ellis, having left me about September 25, 1929, and took all of her belongings and entered into a contract signed by witnesses never to molest or cause me any trouble in any way, now has run bills unbeknowning to me. Now I, William Ellis, will not be responsible for any bills or debts which she has made or does make hereafter this date that I have no notice of at present.
WILLIAM ELLIS. 1-9-3

McKAY BROS.
OPTICAL SPECIALISTS
Eyes examined, glasses ground in our own shop. Broken glasses repaired by mail.
Bay City, Michigan.

Hospital Notes

Mr. Emil Potvin of Cheboygan had his tonsils removed at Mercy Hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Edgar Douglas and infant son, James Colleen, who had been patients of Mercy Hospital for several days were dismissed Monday.

DeVore Schmidt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Holger C. Schmidt, is getting along very nicely following a serious operation for appendicitis at Mercy hospital Friday.

Miss Helen Elaine McLeod was dismissed from Mercy hospital Friday after submitting to a tonsil operation Thursday.

Sisters, Mary Joseph, Mary Lawrence and Mary Anselm of Mount Mercy academy in Grand Rapids visited at Mercy hospital a few days last week. They returned Saturday.

Capt. Martineau has returned to Cheboygan after receiving treatment at Mercy hospital a few days last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Brown at Mercy hospital Monday afternoon, a baby daughter. As far as we know, this is the first baby-born in Grayling in 1930.

Mrs. Geo. Sorenson submitted to a serious operation at Mercy Hospital Tuesday. She is getting along as nicely as can be expected at the present time. Her two nieces, the Misses Louise and Nina Sorenson are attending her in their efficient manner.

Miss Eleanor Gotman is getting along very nicely following her operation for appendicitis last week.

Read your home paper. Subscribe for the Avalanche.

Pre-Inventory Bargains

INVENTORY TIME spells BARGAIN TIME

It never fails that in taking inventory odds and ends turn up that must be disposed of at most any price.—So here is your chance for some very attractive bargains.

ONE LOT OF Boyer Curtain Rods

A very rigid extension to 48 inches

REGULAR PRICE 30c

Sale Price, 20c

ONE LOT OF Kirsch Curtain Rods

Kirsch Advertiser line of extension curtain rods. Assorted lengths. Regularly 30c to 40c. Your choice

Your choice, 15c

ONE LOT OF Stair Rods

Wood Golden Oak finish for 24 inch or less carpet. REGULAR 6 cents

Sale Price 4c

Smoking Cabinets—Regular \$7.85 to \$8.98. YOUR CHOICE \$3.98
Baby Walker—Regular \$2.50 SALE PRICE \$1.25
FRAMED PICTURES, 14x20—Regular \$2.60. SALE PRICE \$1.30
Steel Doll Bed with Mattress \$5.75 SALE PRICE \$3.75
Wood Doll Bed—Regular 60c SALE PRICE 29c
One lot Doll Carriages 25% OFF
One lot China Ware at HALF PRICE
One lot Glass Ware at 25% OFF
One lot of Baby Rattles and other Celluloid Novelties—regularly 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c SALE PRICES Just Half—7½, 10, 12½, & 17½c

MANY OTHER ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS ARE NOW ON DISPLAY

YOUR CHOICE OF ANY

Congoleum Rug \$9.88
in the rack, size 9 x 12

ONE LOT OF Olive Dishes

Regular price 25c

Sale Price 14c

Sugar & Cream

Jap Sugar and Cream

Regular 75c to 85c set.

Sale Price 43c

Odd Chair

Old Ivory decorated with blue lines. Cane seat and back. Regular \$9.40.

Sale Price \$4.70

Medicine Cabinet

Quarter Sawn Oak golden finish. Regular \$4.90.

Sale Price \$2.45

Toy Writing Desk

Light Oak finish. Regular price \$2.20.

Sale Price \$1.50

Large Rocker

Overstuffed in tapestry. Regular \$21.45.

Sale Price \$12.00

Children's Rocking Chair

Red paint. Reed seat and back. Regular \$2.75.

Sale Price 98c

Sorenson Bros.

The Home of Dependable Furniture.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, January 10, 1907

M. Hanson made a flying business trip to Saginaw the last of the week. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson, Jan. 3rd, 9 son.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. May died Sunday morning.

A. E. Michelson started for Monroe, La., yesterday in the lumber interests of the Company.

Judge Sharpe of West Branch was in the Village Friday, and a welcome caller at our sanitarium.

Lars Nelson's little girl fell on the ice last week and fractured her collar bone.

The bursting of a steam pipe in the school room Tuesday, gave a lot of the kids a holiday.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Logansport, (Ind.) Journal announcing the death of Mrs. John C. Hanson who was a resident here for over fifteen years, while her husband was foreman of the Avalanché Office, at the hospital in Lafayette, Ind. the last inst.

Messrs. Hanson, Michelson and Olson returned from their trip to Louisiana last week and report a most enjoyable respite from the cold weather here.

Mrs. Paul Lovely and her daughter, May, have returned to their home in New Toledo. They have been spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Louis LaMotte.

Messrs. Hanson and Michelson are fitting up an office over the Company office, which is modern in every appointment and artistically furnished. It would do honor to any city.

H. P. Olson, Village Clerk, reports that 55 births placed on file at the office during 1906, of which 21 were male and 34 female. Whole number of deaths reported is 21.

Clark's orchestra furnished the music for the Firemen's Dance at Wolven last week, Monday evening, and for the K. P. dance at Gaylord Tuesday evening. Both were largely attended and the fine music appreciated.

The American Express office in this village has been moved to the baggage room at the depot and will be in charge of L. Herrick, the K. R. Agent. It is not so convenient for most of our business men, but all will get used to it in time.

Cards are received here from Dayton, Ohio, announcing the arrival there on Dec. 28th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Wetz, nee Bessie Mettler, of a son who will bear the name of Palmer Mettler-Wetz. The many friends of Mrs. Wetz extend congratulations.

Tower was incorporated as a village by the Chubbuck board of supervisors last week. This is the result of a long and hard fought battle between a few of the mill owners and the progressive part of the population. Tower can now get a few needed improvements.

Get out dogs and guns! Two saloons were robbed here Sunday night, and one man on the street or in some other place. One arrest has been made. The total loss is about one hundred dollars besides the liquor and cigars taken. It is thought to be local work.

The report of the Prosecuting Attorney for the last six months shows 39 prosecutions and 35 convictions. One hundred and fifteen dollars fines was collected besides the costs in the cases.

A GOOD RATION TO MAKE HENS LAY

15 LBS. GRAIN
15 LBS. MASH
15 LBS. SOUR SKIM MILK

WELL BALANCED IN NUTRIENTS
WEIGHT AND
SOURCE OF PROTEIN

3 LBS. CORN
1 LBS. WHEAT
1 LBS. OATS
1 LBS. BARLEY
6

3 LBS. CORN
1 LBS. WHEAT
1 LBS. OATS
1 LBS. BARLEY
9

15 LBS. OF SOUR SKIM MILK

BLUE VALLEY CREAMERY INSTITUTE

THIS RATION MAKES 'EM LAY IN WINTER

"Double Balance" Program Calls for Grain Mash and Skim Milk But No Water.

A "double balance" ration to make hens lay in winter, suggested by the Blue Valley Creamery Institute, is worth of a 15-day trial on the farm where only 10 to 20 eggs per day by 100 hens are produced during the cold weather months. All of the four grains in the grain mixture and the skim milk are generally produced on the average farm and all four of the ingredients of the mash mixture can be secured in practically every trading center in the Mississippi valley. The grain mixture to be fed in dry litter inside the house, calls for three

same cases and the total days imprisonment was 444 days for misdemeanors and one felony at Marquette from one to five years, with recommendation that the term be two years.

Hon. Arthur Hill believes that a gift to him by the famous old Grayling Indian, Shoppensagons, chieftain of the Chipewas, will bring him luck in the senatorial fight. It is a fine red-stone catnet or peace pipe which the old Indian has been at work on for several months, fashioning and decorating. "Heag" has grunted "Shop" as he handed the pipe to Mr. Hill. "Tak um Wash'n'ton when you senator."

DIED—At his home at Copenhagen, Denmark, Dec. 11th, Lars Mortenson, aged 51 years. Lars Mortenson was a brother of Andrew Mortenson of Beaver Creek. He will be well remembered by most of the citizens of Grayling, as he resided here from 1886 to 1900.

Our community was greatly shocked on Tuesday by the sudden death of an estimable citizen, John Burt, aged 72 years. Although he had been in declining health for several years, he had attended to his work, having charge of the railroad pumping station, and on that morning was feeling better than for some days.

A meeting of the Mens and Boys Association was held Monday evening at the G. A. R. Hall, with a fair attendance. President Hathaway gave a pleasant review of the work already accomplished and a plan for future work. A constitution was adopted and the following permanent officers elected for the ensuing year: President, C. J. Hathaway; Vice President, A. B. Felling; Secretary, S. Phelps; Jr. Asst. Sec., Carl Mork; Treasurer, C. G. Abbott. The next meeting will be held at the same place, next Monday evening at 7:30.

A large company assembled at the handsome home of Mr. N. Michelson Monday evening to do honor to the home coming of his son, Mr. Olaf Michelson and bride, nee Miss Mollie Annin, both well known and popular young people. After a hearty greeting from the genial host, the guests united in showering upon the young couple, a warm welcome, hearty congratulations and expressions of pleasure that they were to remain in our midst. Some of the demure damsels, in stepping up to congratulate the bride, tripped on the polished floor, (not purposely of course?) thus assuring themselves that ere another twelve moons shall wax and wane, they too shall be happily wedded. The wedding presents displayed were numerous and beautiful, silver, cut glass and china predominating. However two modest checks appeared among the other gifts, bearing the name of the father of the groom, not so handsome in the face as "neighbor cut glass" but with beautiful figures. Elegant refreshments were served, then all were pleasantly entertained with a musical program by the new Victor phonograph after which the goodnights were said. Another pleasant incident closed, another pleasant memory added to an already long list.

The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kneeland of Lewiston; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Michelson and son Lewis of Johannesburg; Mr. L. Jensen of Gaylord; Mr. Peterson of Toledo, and Mrs. Stevens of Bay City.

It is just the time of the year for some of the genuine spring garden seeds to begin to show signs of the same complaint.

SALVAGING OF MILLIONS BIG PROSPERITY FACTOR

Not a little of the confidence expressed for a prosperous 1930 is directly attributable to the ability of large manufacturers to salvage millions of dollars annually from materials that were discarded but a few years ago.

The salvaging process, it is pointed out by officials of the Hudson Motor Car Company, while it is returned to the purchaser in greater quality, calls for the employment of men to carry out the salvaging, the employment of men to manufacture the machinery to do the salvaging and, actually, the employment of men to build the plants where the salvaging is carried out.

Thus, while the United States enjoys the somewhat questionable distinction of being an "extravagant" country, in reality it is perhaps the most thrifty country in the world and follows more closely than any other the dictum "take care of the pennies and the dollars will take care of themselves."

The Hudson Motor Car Company alone saves an excess of \$3,000,000 annually in salvaging. At the company's huge plants in Detroit an entire two story building and \$50,000 worth of machinery are devoted to the single purpose of salvaging the wood from packing cases and crates in which supplies and parts are received.

The sides of these cases are cut by power saws, to standard lengths which in turn are employed in the making of container for goods shipped out by the company. The cut off wood ends are conveyed to plant lumber hogs that grind them into little bits the size of shelled corn. Another machine, provided with powerful magnets, extracts nails and other metal parts from the chips. The ends are burned under the huge boilers at a savings of 300 tons of coal per month, and the nails are sold as scrap.

Officials state that the salvaging of lumber alone nets the company a profit of \$100,000 a year. Other large savings are made through the reclamation of oil and from the sale of aluminum bearings, the company being one of the largest users of this metal. Even wiping rags are employed over and over. These rags, that used to be thrown away, are laundered in special machines, at a saving of \$250 per day.

As the Hudson Motor Car Company is just one of the large manufacturing corporations, it is certain, although actual figures are not available, that the salvaging of materials, which originated with the junk man, is a major business, giving employment to hundreds of thousands of men and, through savings effected, providing not a little of the luxury offered at low prices.

Prohibition, like all social questions affecting the entire country, is bound to have its friends and enemies, its defenders and its supporters.

Under our form of government discussion of this social problem is bound to continue, nor can it be successfully stifled by law. It must be fought out in the open forum of public opinion and there acted upon as intelligently as the facts will warrant. Prejudice or bigotry cannot enter into a successful solution.

Right now the temperature at Washington has risen to fever heat as friends and foes of this great social problem engage in a virtual hand-to-hand conflict in hurling charges and counter charges at each other.

The Hoover administration is charged with lack of enforcement; the proposal is made to place the Department of Justice in charge of the enforcement machinery of the nation; and the Supreme Court of the United States is being urged to declare the buyer equally guilty with the seller.

Federal courts have the aid of the Jones law in dealing with violators of the prohibition law in Michigan we have the Cuthbertson act to assist state courts in combatting this illicit industry, but in spite of the heavy penalties being inflicted by both state and nation there seems to be no decrease in the great army of rum runners engaged in supplying the demand for liquor.

While this endless battle of words and courts continues what about the man, woman, or child who might be induced to settle this question individually? If a nation elects individual to become temperate there will be no need for prohibitive liquor legislation.

The great temperance movement of pre-prohibition days should be revived, new crusaders should be enlisted and the field pointing out health, happiness and prosperity that follows in the wake of sobriety. The "I will" of any man being is much more of a driving power for good than the "Thou shalt" of any reformer who ever lived.

The prohibition question will never be settled in America until the little white ribbon of temperance becomes once more a national emblem.

Women Suffering Bladder Irritation

If functional bladder irritation disturbs your sleep, or causes Burning or Itching Sensation, Backache, Leg Pains, or muscular aches, making you feel tired, depressed, and discouraged, why not try the Cystex Hour Test? Don't give up. Give Cystex today. Put it to the test. Rest for yourself how quickly it works. What it does. Money back if it doesn't bring quick improvement. Cystex today. Only 60. Mac & Glady, druggists.

It takes a long time for a man to save enough money to buy a block of stock but when the Wall Street boys shake the bushes he doesn't take him long to tumble to the ground.

Inside Information

Milk should be strained in the milk room, never in the barn.

In making Boston brown bread be sure to steam it for about 3 1/2 hours in well-buttered molds before baking it to dry out on top.

Clean milk put into a sterile container and packed in ice will remain sweet for weeks. On the other hand, milk which is not cooled and kept cool may sour in a few hours.

A combination of salt and sugar and salt-peter makes a good "cure" for pork. Salt used alone is apt to make the meat rather harsh and dry, but the sugar mellows the cure and improves the flavor of the meat. A good grade of dairy salt, or table salt, should be used.

The housewife should refuse to accept a can of food from the grocer unless she can show signs of leakage, bulging at the ends or snaps back the top when pressed. Upon opening an apparently good can, if the food is moldy, disintegrated, cloudy, or otherwise abnormal, it should not be eaten.

A good homemade damp-proofing paint for cellar walls or floor can be prepared by dissolving paraffin in gasoline or kerosene warmed to 80 degrees F. Several coats of a 10 to 20 per cent solution (10 to 15 pounds of paraffin per gallon of gasoline) are usually applied. The more dilute solution is best for stone, and the heavier one for brick or concrete.

Work of this kind should be done only where there is a good ventilation, as gasoline is highly explosive, and no open flame should be permitted in the vicinity of the operation. The gasoline or kerosene may be warmed in a vessel of water previously heated.

A Texas man who stole a pie was given a life sentence because it was his third offense. If it was one of those pies that mother used to make, through dark nights or foggy areas good proof of his guilt is that he took it to a hotel pie he should have had the limit.

AND NOW THE GYROSCOPIC PLANE

By Edwin Groer
(President, Greer College of Aviation, Chicago, Ill.)

The word "Maeciator" has been coined in the office of the Chief of the Army Air Corps as the name for the flying robot that has been developed for automatically piloting airplanes.

The term is a shortening of the words "mechanical aviator." The robot is a system of gyroscopes which keeps a plane on balance laterally and horizontally and also controls the direction of flight through the rudder.

The word takes its place along with "metal mike," the gyroscope wheel control of steamers, and "aviation," which describes the science of aerial navigation.

The stabilizing device centers about two gyroscopes, one mounted horizontally, the other vertically. A series of electrical contacts actuates electro-magnets, which in turn operate controls leading to the ailerons and rudder surfaces.

In operation, the gyroscopes, by nature, maintain their fixed positions, the airplane, when moving laterally, or in the direction of flight out of level flight, actually rotating about the gyroscopes. By this movement electrical contacts are established, energizing the magnets, which in turn operate the control surfaces, these manipulate the control surfaces, these operations bringing the plane back der, 415 Graham street, SW, Grand Rapids, Mich., "and I endorse it because it is the only medicine that did any good."

So sensitive is the device, that the movement of an airplane half a degree out of level flight is detected and corrected. Such slight variations are not noticed by the average pilot. The automatic pilot gives promise of being a most useful instrument in the handling of large airplanes, relieving the pilot of much of the strain of the straight and level flying and giving him as a result the opportunity of devoting more of his attention to his maps, navigation, and what other instruments he needed. Perhaps the new pilot will find his greatest service in flying an airplane through dark nights or foggy areas good proof of his guilt is that he took it to a hotel pie he should have had the limit.

be equipped with this, or a similar but improved device. As the size of airplanes increases an automatic pilot will be more and more a necessary part of their equipment.

"Konjola Only
Medicine That
Did Any Good"
Nervousness And Stomach Trouble
Vanish When New Medicine Goes
To Work



MR. HENRY MULDER
"Konjola is the only medicine that did any good," said Mr. Henry Mulder, 415 Graham street, SW, Grand Rapids, Mich., "and I endorse it because it is the only medicine that did any good." "I will do for others. I was in a highly nervous condition for some time. I suffered from stomach trouble. After every meal I had gas and indigestion. I became weaker and weaker as first one medicine and then another failed to bring relief. "More to please my friends than anything else, I decided to try Konjola. After they kept insisting that I was just what I needed. And that's what Konjola proved to be—just the medicine I needed. Quickly my misery I suffered from stomach trouble. After every meal I had gas and indigestion. I became weaker and weaker as first one medicine and then another failed to bring relief. "More to please my friends than anything else, I decided to try Konjola. After they kept insisting that I was just what I needed. 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AGRICULTURAL NOTES



Though rapid progress is being made in establishing an American potash industry, the United States still spends \$18,000,000 a year for potash imported from Europe.

Daily livestock reports of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics are now broadcast to South America and Porto Rico from Station KDKA at Pittsburgh. The report includes the Pittsburgh, Jersey City, Lancaster, Chicago, St. Louis, and Kansas City markets, and the Boston wool market.

Before the time comes for putting the incubator into service for hatching, it should be cleaned and thoroughly disinfected to destroy disease organisms before eggs are put in it. Be sure that all dust and dirt have been removed from the incubator. Disinfect the interior of the machine as well as the egg trays and nursery drawers with an effective disinfectant, such as a saponified cresol solution.

The trapper who tries to outwit the red fox must sharpen his wits, as this fox is keen scented and suspicious and has a wholesome fear of man. Traps and the ground where they are set must be free from human odors. Steel traps may be cleaned by oiling them with twigs of spruce, fir, hemlock, birch, or sassafras, by burying them, or by leaving them in running water for a day or so. After being cleaned they should be handled only with leather or waxed cotton gloves and kept in a clean bag or basket until set. Gray and kit foxes are not particularly wary and are more readily caught than red foxes.

It's a good idea to figure out the daily herd's needs for feed next year well in advance of planting time. Though of course the quantity of feed varies with the cow's size and production, the averaged-sized cow that is on pasture in summer will need almost 2 tons of hay, or 1 ton of hay and 3 tons of silage yearly. High-producing cows require annually from 1 to 2 tons of grain, or even more, according to their production. The yearling heifer needs small quantities of grain and about one-half as much pasture and roughage feeds as a mature cow. It is well to plan for a little surplus of roughage feeds, as any not consumed can be carried over to next season.

Bred sows and pigs need some calcium and phosphorus in their action. Any combination of minerals which contains sufficient lime and phosphoric acid and is palatable enough to be eaten freely will be satisfactory. The following mixture, which is recommended by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, is palatable, contains the elements for supplementing the grain feeds, and may be fed to hogs on pasture or in dry lot: 50 pounds steamed bone meal, 25 pounds ground limestone or airslacked lime, 25 pounds 16 per cent acid phosphate, and 5 pounds common salt. If wood shavings are available they may be added to the mineral mixture with advantage, at the rate of one-third of the mixture by weight. The mineral mixture should be kept where it will be dry and available at all times.

Skim milk contains practically all the nutrients of whole milk except the butterfat and is an excellent feed for growing calves, growing and fattening hogs, when used as a supplement to corn, growing chicks, fattening poultry, and laying hens. The cash value of skim milk fed on the farm in well-balanced rations is equal to the market value of such amounts of other feeds as have the same feed-

ing value. For calves, about 10 pounds of dry skim milk or 10 to 12 pounds of commercial or home-mixed calf meals will take the place of 100 pounds of fluid skim milk. For pork production, when fed as a supplement 100 pounds of skim milk has a feeding value of about 11 pounds of corn plus 7 pounds of tankage. For laying hens, 100 pounds of skim milk will take the place of about 15 pounds of meat scrap. Only sweet skim milk should be fed to calves, but either sweet or sour skim milk may be fed to hogs and poultry.

Feeds such as oats, flax, and linseed meal given to steers toward the last of the feeding period will put them in better condition for shipping. Other grains, and all laxative feeds, including silage and legume hay, should be reduced at least half during the last two or three days before shipping. Some dry roughage such as grass hay should be fed.

A good daily diet for rabbits consists of clean, bright oats (whole or crushed), rolled barley, well-cured alfalfa hay, and a small quantity of green feed, preferably carrots. Wheat bran mixed with an equal part of oats or barley may be fed about once a week with good results. Clover hay may be substituted for alfalfa if the latter is not available. The hay should be cut into inch lengths before feeding. Rutabagas, potatoes, cabbages, mangels, and lawn clippings are good green feeds. Greens should always be fresh and clean and should be fed in limited quantities. Feed the rabbits twice a day.

The first requirement of sweet clover is lime. Probably more failures with sweet clover in the Corn Belt are due to lack of lime than to any other cause. In some sections a ton of finely ground limestone, or one-half that quantity of hydrated lime, well worked into the surface soil is enough. However in many sections it is better to make fairly liberal applications from 2 to 3 tons, preferably of limestone. If sweet clover is to be rotated over the entire farm, lime should be applied to each field before the crop is sown on it for the first time. An exception to this rule may be made in limestone sections where alfalfa is known to do well naturally, or where actual experience has shown that sweet clover will grow successfully without applying lime. Even in limestone sections the surface soil is often deficient in lime.

The New England professor who is an expert on snobbery advises the poor working girl to marry the boss. That is all right, providing the boss's does not object.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said County, on the 16th day of December A. D. 1929.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Dean, deceased.

Leonard Isenbauer having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to said Leonard Isenbauer or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 20th day of January A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hear-

ing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

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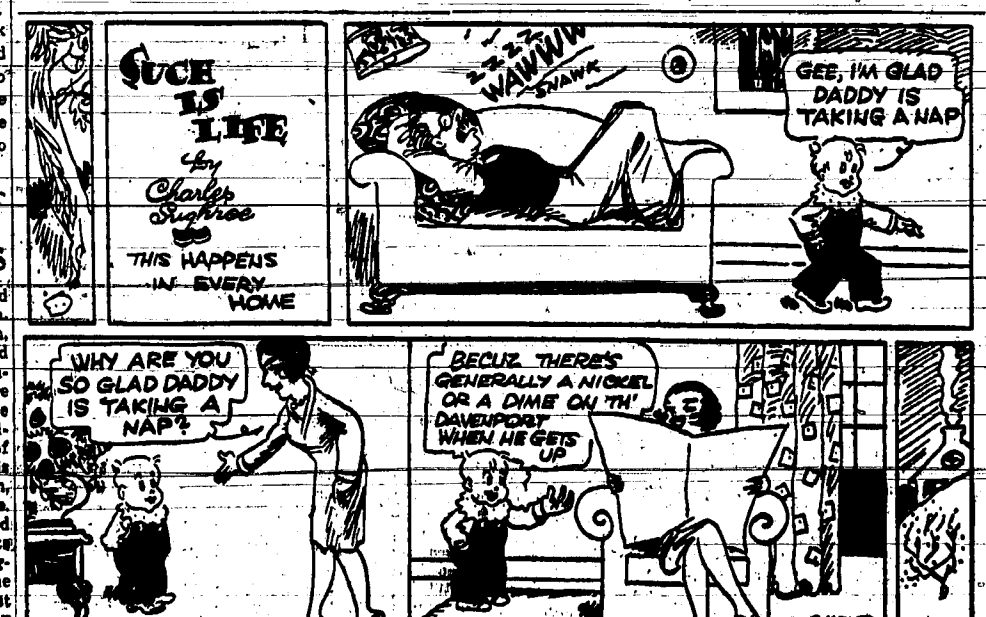
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That would be a good road story if it were not for the tragedy connected with it. But along those magnificent roads about 1,500 deaths occurred in traffic accidents. That was a fatality increase of nearly 25 per cent over the terrible record of the previous year. The State Department

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